

CLEMENTS & CHAFFEE.

GRAND

Semi-Annual Closing Sale

Of all Clothing, Men's Furnishings and Hats.

We will clear our stock in every department, if the lowest prices ever made on Men's and Boys' wearing apparel will do it. Our entire stock of Spring and Summer Weight Clothing, all Medium and Light Weight Underwear, Hats, Hosiery, Neckwear, Negligee Shirts. Our entire stock, (Dunlap Hats, E. & W. Collars and Cuffs excepted,) in this sale, at prices that have no regard for profits or manufacturers' cost. We are determined to clear our stock, it is larger than ever before at this season.

Men's Sack Suits.

Cheviots, Cassimeres and Worsteds, any suit in our store formerly sold at \$12, \$14 and \$15, your choice

\$10.00.

Men's Fine Sack Suits,

Full tailor made, all styles, long cut, single and double breasted, \$16, \$18 \$20 and \$22, every suit goes for

\$15.00.

Men's Frock Dress Suits,

Full tailor made, Clay Worsted Blacks and Gray, Cheviots, Cassimeres, Serges, all \$18, \$20 and \$22 suits go in this sale for

\$15.00.

Summer Coats and Vests

Less than manufacturer's cost. Alpaca Coats \$2, \$2.50 and \$3; Alpaca, Mohair and Silk Coats and Vests, all shades, \$3 to \$6. Black, Gray and Blue Serges

\$4 to \$6.

Men's Extra Trousers.

A large line of all wool Cassimeres \$3 and \$3.50. Elegant Worsteds, all new patterns,

\$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00.

Our full tailor-made \$6 and \$6.50.

Boys' Spring and Summer

Weight Suits, all \$10 Suits for \$6.50. All \$12, \$14 and \$15 for \$10. Our \$16, \$18 and \$20, they are all full tailor made, all go for

\$15.00.

Children's Knee Pants

Suits, age 5 to 14, every suit \$4 to \$7, reduced to \$4.

Every suit from \$8 to \$10 reduced to \$5.50, \$6.50 and \$7.

A large line of broken sizes, worth \$6 to \$8,

\$3.00.

Men's and Boys' Negligee

Shirts, the largest and finest assortment to be found in the city, all new designs and styles, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2, 1 less than others ask for inferior grades, all sizes from 12 to 19 collar.

The largest and best line of

SUMMER UNDERWEAR

to be found in the city, at prices fully one-fourth less than others ask you. The best 50c, 75c and \$1 Underwear ever offered you. Silk Underwear at greatly reduced prices.

A large assortment of silk

and light neckwear at prices which cannot be duplicated.

We always carry the most correct styles in Hats—Straws, Soft Felts and Stiff Hats—and we are selling for less than others own them.

Clements & Chaffee, Straight American Clothiers and Men's Outfitters,
625-627 KANSAS AVENUE.

IT WAS A HOT FIGHT.

Eugene Hagan "Read Out of the Party"

AT THE SATURDAY CONVENTION

Of the Shawnee County Democrats—The Removal of Thomas Bitterly Denounced.

The Democratic county convention Saturday afternoon elected an unopposed delegation to the state convention which convenes tomorrow, but the delegation will support David Overmyer for governor.

The delegates to the state convention are:

Delegates—L. Blackman, W. A. Snyder, D. P. Elliott, H. Van Lengen, S. T. Cronwell, E. Whipple, T. M. Hanley, C. E. Burke, F. S. Thomas, J. S. Dowdell, J. A. Hovenden.

Alternates—J. H. Dennis, Lawrence Sheehan, A. Lorie, John H. Jones, J. B. Miller, Lee Jones, M. L. Potter, B. F. Panky, M. Henry, J. W. Blossom, A. W. Ernest.

A resolution was introduced by W. P. Tomlinson instructing the delegation for Overmyer but that was voted down with the explanation by Frank S. Thomas that the delegation was for Overmyer and did not need any instructions and Mr. Overmyer did not want his home delegation instructed.

The report of the committee on resolutions was adopted as printed in this paper on Saturday.

L. A. Stebbins objected to the suffrage and civil service reform parts of the resolutions but they went through with only one dissenting vote.

After the regular resolutions had been passed S. B. Isenhart introduced some interesting resolutions condemning the removal of ex-Postmaster Thomas which were adopted with a cheer. The resolutions are as follows:

Denouncing Thomas' Removal.
Be it resolved by the Democratic party of Shawnee county, Kansas, in regular convention assembled, that we hereby denounce the removal of ex-Postmaster Thomas as an undemocratic, unmanly and as a cowardly outrage, which removal was based upon no principle and was backed by no justification whatever, save and except, that said removal was demanded by certain Republicans and certain mugwump and Republican newspapers in New York, notably Harper's Weekly, a paper that has never aided or in any manner assisted the Democrats as such, and we further denounce said removal as being cowardly and undemocratic in this, to wit:

That said removal was made without cause or reason, and without the slightest notice to Mr. Thomas for the purpose of giving him an opportunity to be heard against the false and malicious and unfounded charges against him, and we believe that not even the Republican party would have been guilty of a malicious and cowardly removal without provocation and without notice; and we hereby

Further denounce said removal as being a vicious and malicious attack upon

the Democracy of Shawnee county, and as having produced discord and strife among the Democrats of this county, and as having so disgusted a large number of Democrats of this county as to drive them out of the party.

And, we further denounce said removal, as being unwarranted and cowardly, for the reason that it was based upon the theory of civil service reform, when, in truth, and in fact, everybody and all the authorities well know, that the Topeka postoffice had never been under or subject to the civil service rules, and that the removal of the Republican officeholders by Postmaster Thomas was legal and in line with Democratic precedent as established by Jefferson and Jackson and all other good Democrats.

And we hereby demand of the present Democratic administration, and shall continue to demand, that said wrongful removal and injustice shall be rectified.

Lee Jones said he agreed with the resolutions that it was a shame to remove Mr. Thomas but he wanted the convention to endorse President Cleveland's administration and he introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That we, the Democrats of Shawnee county, in convention assembled, do heartily endorse the administration of Grover Cleveland as president of the United States.

The resolution was laid on the table but was afterwards taken from the table and adopted.

One of the most important features of the convention was the adoption of a resolution reading Eugene Hagan out of the Democratic party because he had been a traitor and because he had led the fight for the removal of Postmaster Thomas.

The resolution which was adopted stated among other things that:

Eugene Hagan, pretending to be a Democrat for a number of years, in reality and in fact, has been simply assisting the Republican party, and in proof of the above statements, we hereby mention the following among other things to prove the truth of said statements:

"That said Eugene Hagan bolted the regular nominees of the Democratic party in the state and county conventions assembled in 1892, and worked in the interest of Mr. Harrison for the presidency of the United States, and worked in the interest and in favor of the state Republican ticket throughout; and also worked against the regular nominees of the Democratic party of Shawnee county, Kansas."

"That in the county convention of Shawnee county in 1893, the said Eugene Hagan made a malicious and cowardly attack on Senator Martin without any cause whatever therefor, but was overwhelmingly defeated in his efforts."

"Resolved, That we, the Democrats of Shawnee county, Kansas, in regular convention assembled, do hereby notify the said Eugene Hagan that his presence is not desired in the Democratic party; and that it would be in order for him to go over to the Republican party where he really belongs, and whose interest he has so long served."

The following delegates were elected to the congressional convention which is to be held at Emporia July 17:

Delegates—S. B. Isenhart, N. Kantowitz, J. P. Howe, G. M. Clandy, C. W.

Bridgeman, J. S. Ernest, O. Bischoff, G. H. McCollister, M. Hanley, M. L. Potter, H. A. Black.

SNAP SHOTS AT HOME NEWS.

The hum of the thresher is heard in the land.

Harry Larimer will be the orator at Silver Lake Wednesday.

Several new brick walks have been laid on Kansas avenue.

There will be a wrestling match at Hamilton hall tomorrow night.

The insignificant little chigger is convincing humanity of its importance.

What by the way, has become of our new union depot and our new bridge?

The furniture of the old high school rooms is being moved to the new building.

The official board of the First Presbyterian church will meet tomorrow evening.

The institute has adjourned and all the pretty school ma'ams have gone home.

J. G. Wood will speak at Oakland tonight before the meeting of the Republican club.

Physicians are now preparing lint and bandages to take care of those who celebrate the Fourth.

There was a railroad meeting on every corner and in every hall yesterday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. M. H. Case talked about fifteen minutes before the Democratic convention Saturday afternoon.

Although the concert was fully up to the standard there were very few people at Garfield park yesterday afternoon.

The railroads have made a half fare rate to the Populist "blow out" in this city July 12; Gov. Waite is to be here.

IN POLICE COURT.

Miss Bessie Lane Discharged—Other Court News.

Judge Ensminger's desk in the police court resembled a steam laundry today. There was piled up about a bushel of old clothes and linen and muslin with lace attachments. Add to the bundle a vase, a small pitcher and a breast pin and you have an inventory of the goods for which Miss Bessie Lane was tried for stealing from another woman but was triumphantly acquitted.

Miss Lane's defence was that she didn't steal the articles but held them for a debt which Miss Stover the complaining witness owed on her board bill. Miss Stover claimed her board was paid.

Judge Ensminger said that since he had been called upon to act equitably in the proceedings he would discharge Miss Lane providing Miss Stover's dry goods were returned to her. This was done.

A brother of Miss Lane says the trouble was caused entirely by a Miss Stover, the complaining witness who Miss Lane befriended while she was sick, with the understanding that she was to pay \$4 a week. Miss Lane stayed three weeks with Miss Lane and paid her nothing.

Consequently Miss Lane held her clothing as security. The statement made in police circles that Miss Lane ever appeared in a red "mother Hubbard" and pink slippers is denied as absolutely false by her brother.

Dis-ub-d the Pickers.
Frank Crawford, a young colored man was arrested this morning on the charge of disturbing a religious meeting at the Second Missionary Baptist church, near Fourteenth and Washington streets.

For reasons which Crawford professes not to know he was expelled from the church. Friday night Crawford attended with his wife. He was asked to vacate the premises, but wouldn't. Later his wife wanted to put 25 cents in the "basket," and Crawford refused to let her. They had an argument over this, and the alleged disturbance grew out of it.

Crawford said to a Journal reporter, "yesterday Rev. Mr. Baile's had communion and shouted and made a joyful sound; and today he's in the police court persecuting one of the brethren. I can't see the consistency of it."

Other Cases.
Charley Marine, a boy fifteen years old, was arrested for letting his chickens run at large. He explained that the chickens escaped through a hole in the coop which he didn't know was there. He was discharged.

An uneventful drunk, who paid \$5 for his spree, completed today's docket.

STRAIGHT OR NONE.

Lee Jones Says That the Democrats Should Stand Alike.

Lee Jones said today: "I am in favor of a straight Democratic ticket but if we can't have that I am in favor of none. I do not believe that we can afford to select part of the ticket and endorse it. If Overmyer will accept he will be nominated for governor and a straight ticket will be put in the field but if he will not accept, the convention will adjourn without making any nomination."

Raising Matinee
For the benefit of Christ's hospital July 4 at the Fair grounds.

NEW ROOMS NEW CARPETS

And Lots of Small Improvements at the Statehouse.

At the last meeting of the state executive council the state board of public works was ordered to fit up two new rooms in the south basement of the statehouse for the use of State Bank Commissioner Breidenthal.

The room now occupied by the bank commissioner will, when vacated be used by the state veterinarian and the livestock commissioners.

The bond vault in the state treasurer's office is to be painted and carpeted and the superintendent of statehouse grounds was instructed to clean up the basement and use such disinfectants as he regards necessary to make the place clean and wholesome.

In accordance with a resolution passed by the state board of health at its last meeting the executive council authorizes the secretary of the board of health to use the balance of the cholera fund or such part of it as he deems necessary.

This fund was originally \$10,000, but \$2,000 only has been used. The secretary of the board of health was also allowed a clerk for his office.

A SINGER ARRESTED.

One of Dr. Yellowstone's Musicians Charged with Larceny.

Emmett Monroe one of the colored musicians who helps Dr. Yellowstone sell his cure-all at the corner of Fifth and Quincy streets nightly, was arrested and taken before Justice Furry on the charge of stealing a watch from C. L. Svensson's.

Monroe had been in Svensson's tin shop on east Sixth street and soon after he left, the watch which had been lying on a show case was noticed to be missing. Monroe was suspected and at his arrest the watch was found in his possession.

UNION PACIFIC ROUTE.

FOURTH OF JULY EXCURSION.
The Union Pacific will sell tickets to points within 200 miles at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale July 3 and 4; good returning to and including July 5th, 1894.

A. M. FULLER,
City Agent,
525 Kansas Avenue.

Any One
Who has horses they wish to enter at the racing matinee July 4th at the Fair Grounds should leave their names with Albert Parker, 727 Kansas ave. Enter your horses and help the Christ's hospital fund, it costs you nothing to enter.

THE BIG ROAD RACE.

Most Interesting Event of the Year in This Vicinity.

The first annual road race of the Topeka wheelmen, which takes place July 4th, promises to be one of the best events of the kind ever held in Kansas. The entries include some of the fastest road riders in the state, and the course, 1 mile of the best in the west. The start will be made from Eighteenth street and Fifteenth avenue to Pauline and return, a distance of 12 miles. The prize list is as follows:

Grand time prize gold watch, W. W. Webb, \$30; 1st prize gold watch, Vesper & Golds, \$25; 2d, Odell typewriter, Wm. Taylor, \$25; 3d, Hildard cyclometer, Avery Planter Co., \$15; 4th, sweater, Batman & Townsend, \$5; 5th, box "Ovel" cigars, Merrick Drug Co., \$3.75; 6th, collar and cuff box, Kennedy, \$4; 7th, meal ticket, the Cremerie, \$2.00; 8th, merchandise, A. B. Webster, \$2; 9th, negligee shirt, Palace Clothing Co., \$2.

Special time prize for boys 15 and under, as follows:
Handy card press, Phil Eastman, \$5; 1st prize bicycle cup and belt, Tanner Bros., \$2.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT.

Judge Pro Tem Stonecker Hears a Case—Other Matters.

J. G. Stonecker acted as judge pro tem in the district court Saturday and heard arguments in the case of J. G. Lane & Schady hard wood lumber company against the receivers of the Topeka Lumber & Coal company. Judge Hazen had formerly been an attorney in the case. The case involved a small amount and was taken under advisement.

The Second National bank of Reading, Pennsylvania, has begun action in the district court to recover \$2,500 from E. Bennett & Son of Topeka, the well known horseman. The petition represents that on November 4th, 1892, Bennett & Son gave their promissory note for \$2,500, but on this only \$1,574 has been paid; and they ask judgment for the balance with interest.

Fanny McGee.
The fastest yearling that ever lived, owned and bred by Will Bradbury of this city, and entered in races all over the United States this fall, will give an exhibition at the racing matinee July 4 at the Fair grounds, for the benefit of Christ's hospital. Admission 25c.

Fine Work.
At Topeka Steam Laundry.
Shirts mended by the Puerties.

Awarded Highest Honors World's Fair.

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Cream Baking Powder.

The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder.—No Ammonia, No Alum.
Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.